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7 **BEFORE THE PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON**

8 IN THE MATTER OF ENFORCEMENT )  
9 ACTION AGAINST )

PDC CASE NO.: 01-184

10 James White, Mayor of Kent )

STIPULATION OF FACTS,  
VIOLATIONS AND PENALTY

11 Respondent. )  
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13 James White, Mayor of Kent, Washington (Respondent) and Public Disclosure  
14 Commission Enforcement Staff (Staff) jointly submit this Stipulation of Facts, Violations  
15 and Penalty for Commission consideration in lieu of a full enforcement hearing before the  
16 Commission. The parties agree that pursuant to RCW 42.17.360 et. seq., the Commission  
17 has the authority to accept, decline, or to suggest modifications to this Stipulation.

18 **Facts**

19 Both parties agree that Section IV of the Report of Investigation dated September 6,  
20 2001, the Addendum to the Report of Investigation dated November 16, 2001, and Section  
21 IV of the Notice of Administrative Charges dated November 16, 2001, contain accurate  
22 statements of fact. The Notice of Administrative Charges, along with the Report of  
23 Investigation, its Addendum, and all exhibits, are incorporated herein by this reference.  
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1 **Violations**

2 Respondent and Staff agree that based upon the facts stipulated above, the  
3 Commission would likely find that Respondent violated RCW 42.17.750 and RCW  
4 42.17.130.  
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6 **Penalty**

7 Respondent and Staff agree that based upon the stipulation to facts and violations of  
8 RCW 42.17 above, a total civil penalty of \$2,500.00 be assessed against the Respondent.  
9 Public funds may not be utilized to satisfy any portion of the penalty, which must be paid in  
10 full within 90 days from the date of entry of the Commission's Final Order.

11 The Respondent reaffirms his intention to cooperate with the Commission and to  
12 comply in good faith with the provisions of RCW 42.17.  
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16 Respectfully submitted this 13<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2002.

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18 Vicki Rippie  
19 Vicki Rippie, Executive Director

2/13/02  
DATE SIGNED

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21 David T. Hokit  
22 David T. Hokit, WSBA # 19512  
23 Attorney for Respondent  
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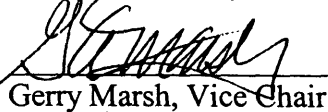
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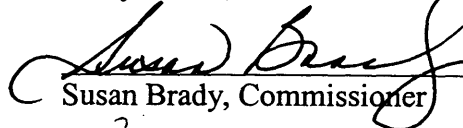
Having reviewed the proposed Stipulation in PDC Case No. 01-184, WE, THE STATE OF WASHINGTON PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION, pursuant to WAC 390-37-090, HEREBY ORDER that the Stipulation is

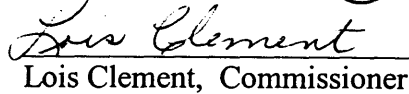
X ACCEPTED in its entirety;  
\_\_\_\_ REJECTED in its entirety;  
\_\_\_\_ MODIFIED as follows:  
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DATED this 26<sup>th</sup> day of February 2002.

  
Christine Yoroza, Chair

  
Gerry Marsh, Vice Chair

  
Susan Brady, Commissioner

  
Lois Clement, Commissioner

I, \_\_\_\_\_, accept/do not accept (circle one) the proposed modification.

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Respondent

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Date

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Attorney for Respondent

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Date